

REMARKS

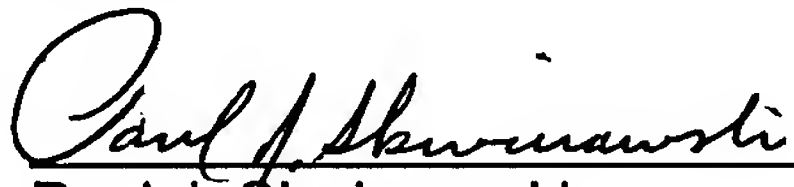
The claims have been amended to delete multiple dependency for purposes of calculation of the filing fee.

Entry of the preliminary amendments and examination of the application is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR '1.136. Authorization is herein given to charge any shortage in the fees, including extension of time fees and excess claim fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 500.46139X00) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTONELLI, TERRY, STOUT & KRAUS, LLP

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul J. Skwierawski", written over a horizontal line.

Paul J. Skwierawski
Registration No. 32,173

1300 North Seventeenth Street
Suite 1800
Arlington, VA 22209
Tel.: 703-312-6600

PJS/slk